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Collins Receives 2015 Appreciation Award from N.D. Conservation District Employee's Association

BISMARCK, N.D. – Jim Collins, an environmental scientist with the North Dakota Department of Health's Division of Water Quality, received the 2015 Appreciation Award from the North Dakota Conservation District Employee's Association (NDCDEA). The award was presented at the 77th annual North Dakota Association of Soil Conservation Districts Convention. The NDCDEA Appreciation Award is presented at the annual convention to honor an individual who stands out for contributing their time and effort to provide guidance and leadership to soil conservation districts.

"Jim does an excellent job of presenting water quality topics at district EcoEd events, and the kids always seem to take home his message," said Lori Frank, Barnes County Soil Conservation District Watershed Coordinator and NDCDEA President. The NDCDEA has recognized individuals with the Appreciation Award since 2002. Jim received the award at the NDCDEA convention breakfast meeting held Monday, Nov. 22.

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